



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Benfield et al.**

Serial No.: **09/895,884**

Filing Date: **06/29/2001**

**For: Method and system for presentation and specification of distributed multi-customer configuration management within a network management framework**

§ Group Art Unit: **2151**

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§ Examiner: **Unknown**

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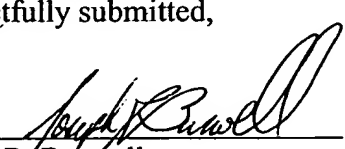
Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following:

- ☒ Preliminary Amendment;
- ☒ Letter to the Official Draftsperson;
- ☒ 29 Sheets of formal drawings;
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**LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON**

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Submitted herewith are formal drawings (29 sheets) for the above-identified application.

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